

HOUSE No. 659

By Mr. Correia of Fall River (by request), petition of Leo H. LeDuc for legislation to increase from two to four thousand dollars for small claims in the District Court Department of the Trial Court. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SMALL CLAIMS PROCEDURE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 21 of chapter 218 of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2002 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the
- 3 words “two thousand dollars” in line 6 and inserting in place
- 4 thereof the figure \$4,000.